

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) An electrode of an electrochemical battery comprising:
an electrode catalyst; and
~~an electrode catalyst support member made of a fiber stack of conductive metal~~
~~material to which the electrode catalyst is attached.~~
a catalyst holding body for holding and confining the electrode catalyst by being
entangled with the electrode catalyst.
2. (Currently Amended) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the electrode catalyst
has a granule ~~form~~ type.
3. (Currently Amended) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the electrode catalyst
has a filament ~~shape~~ form.
- 4 - 33 (Cancelled)
34. (New) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the electrode catalyst is formed as an
aggregation of fine fibers.
35. (New) The electrode of 1, wherein a surface of the electrode catalyst is coated
with nickel.

36. (New) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the electrode catalyst is metal halide.
37. (New) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the electrode catalyst is hydrogen storage alloy.
38. (New) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the catalyst holding body is an aggregation of fibers made of a conductive metal material.
39. (New) The electrode of claim 38, wherein the fiber has a length of 10 ~ 10,000 μ m.
40. (New) The electrode of claim 38, wherein the fiber has a diameter of 1 ~ 100 μ m.
41. (New) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the catalyst holding body is nickel or nickel alloy.
42. (New) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the catalyst holding body contains fluoro polymer.
43. (New) The electrode of claim 42, wherein the fluoro polymer is PTFE.
44. (New) An electrode of an electrochemical battery comprising:
an electrode catalyst in a power form; and
a catalyst holding body formed as a thin plate, having a fiber tissue entangled with the electrode catalyst, and holding and confining the electrode catalyst therein.

45. (New) The electrode of claim 44, wherein the fiber of the fiber tissue has a length of 10~10,000 μ m and a diameter of 1~100 μ .

46. (New) An electrode of an electrochemical battery comprising:
an electrode catalyst in a power form; and
a catalyst holding body formed as a thin plate having a porous tissue, and
holding and confining the electrode catalyst therein.

47. (New) The electrode of claim 46, wherein the porous tissue is formed as one line.

48. (New) An electrode of an electrochemical battery comprising:
a multi-type catalyst holding body formed as two thin plates each having a
fiber tissue are attached to each other; and
a power type electrode catalyst confined between the two thin plates.

49. (New) The electrode of claim 48, wherein the multi-type catalyst holding body has a wave form.

50. (New) An electrochemical battery having the electrode of claim 1.

51. (New) A method for fabricating an electrode of electrochemical battery comprising:
a first step of fabricating a catalyst holding body having fine spaces; and
a second step of holding and confining an electrode catalyst in the catalyst holding body, the catalyst holding body and the power type electrode catalyst being entangled with each other.

52. (New) The method of claim 51, wherein the second step comprises:
spraying liquid particles containing the electrode catalyst to the catalyst holding
body;
drying the liquid particle-sprayed catalyst holding body; and
compressing the dried catalyst holding body.
53. (New) The method of claim 51, wherein the second step comprises:
dissolving the power type electrode catalyst in a solution;
soaking the catalyst holding body in the electrode catalyst-dissolved solution;
taking out the catalyst holding body and drying it; and
compressing the dried catalyst holding body.
54. (New) A method for fabricating an electrode of an electrochemical battery
comprising:
fabricating a thin plate-type catalyst holding body having a fiber tissue;
depositing a power-type electrode catalyst at one surface of the catalyst holding
body to form an electrode catalyst layer; and
attaching two electrode catalyst layer-formed catalyst holding bodies to each
other in such a manner that the electrode catalyst layers contact with each other.
55. (New) The method of claim 54, wherein the two electrode catalyst layer-
formed catalyst holding bodies are attached by compressing.
56. (New) The method of claim 54 further comprising:
bending the two catalyst holding bodies as attached in a wave form.